

Introduced by Senator Ortiz

February 21, 2003

An act to add Section 104466 to the Health and Safety Code, relating to tobacco control, and making an appropriation therefor.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 858, as introduced, Ortiz. Tobacco control.

Existing law provides that an appropriation is available for encumbrance during the period specified therein, or, if not otherwise limited by law, for 3 years after the date upon which it first became available for encumbrance. Subdivision (a) of Section 2.00 of the Budget Act of 2002 provides that appropriations in the act, unless otherwise provided, are appropriated for the use and support of the state for the 2002–03 fiscal year.

Existing law provides for a tobacco use prevention program under which grants are awarded and administered by the State Department Health Services and the State Department of Education for projects directed at the prevention of tobacco-related diseases and tobacco use.

The bill would provide that any amount appropriated to the State Department of Health Services to implement designated tobacco use prevention programs shall be available for encumbrance and expenditure for 2 fiscal years beyond the date of the appropriation, thereby making an appropriation.

Vote: ²/₃. Appropriation: yes. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.



The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 104466 is added to the Health and
2 Safety Code, to read:

3 104466. Notwithstanding any provision of law, any amount
4 appropriated to the department to implement the following
5 tobacco use prevention programs shall be available for
6 encumbrance and expenditure for two fiscal years beyond the date
7 of the appropriation:

8 (a) The program to evaluate tobacco control programs
9 provided for in subdivisions (b) and (c) of Section 104375.

10 (b) The tobacco use prevention media campaign provided for
11 in subdivision (e) of Section 104375.

12 (c) The competitive grant program provided for in Section
13 104385.

14 (d) The local lead agency tobacco use prevention programs
15 provided for in Section 104400.

16 (e) The tobacco use prevention program directed at schools
17 provided for in Sections 104420, 104425, 104430, and 104435.

